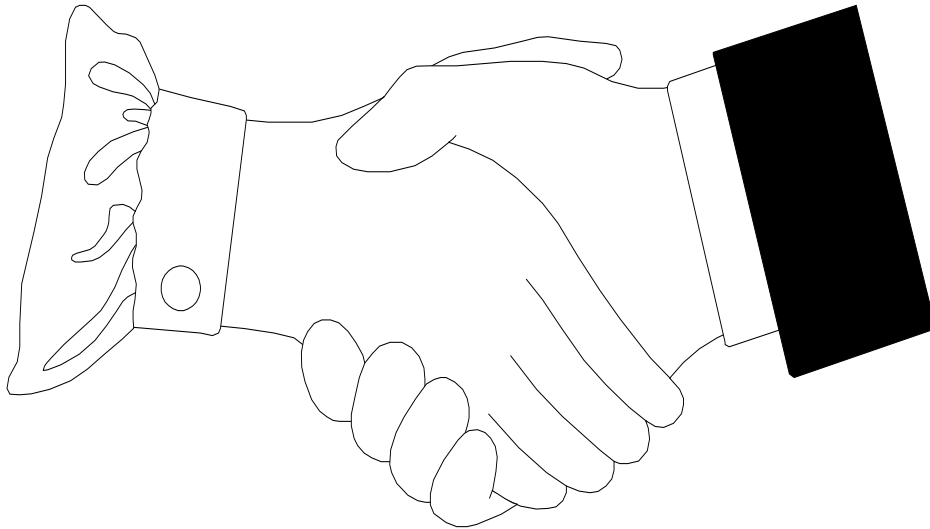


# Patron Handbook

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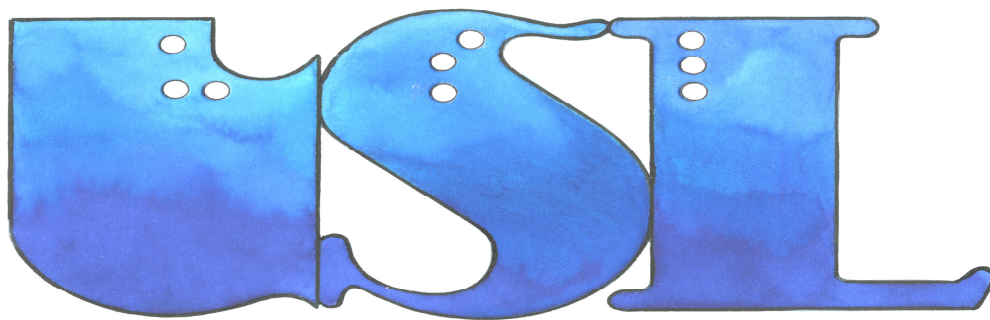


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# Notes

## **Introduction**

The Program for the Blind and Disabled provides the kinds of materials found in public libraries in formats accessible to the blind and disabled. Books and magazines are available in braille, in large print, and on audio cassettes. Services are provided by the Utah State Library Division in cooperation with the Library of Congress, National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped. Services are provided free of charge to eligible readers.

## **Eligibility**

Individuals who cannot read regular print because of a visual, physical, or reading disability may apply for service. The application specifies who is eligible and who is qualified to sign to certify eligibility.

## **Communication is the Key**

Patrons are more satisfied with their service if they communicate with the library. If you are having problems, are dissatisfied, or don't fully understand any aspect of your library service, please contact us. Library phone numbers are on the cover of this handbook.

## **Hours**

The library is open Monday - Friday, 8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. (Mountain Standard Time).

## **Address Changes**

Please notify the library by telephone or by sending a separate note as soon as you know your new address. Please do not write your new address on cards from books because these are not always detected when books are returned to the library.

## **Permanent Address Changes**

If you move permanently out of the state, you may take your equipment with you. Your patron and equipment records will be transferred to the library in your new state of residence.

## **Temporary Address Changes**

If you move temporarily within the state or to another state (such as to winter in Arizona), materials can be sent to your temporary address. Please notify the library whenever you have a temporary change of address so that your service is not disrupted.

## **Receiving Books through the Mail**

Books are circulated through the mail postage-free. There is an address card on the container of each book you receive. To return the books, turn over the address card. The side of the card with your address is white. The side with the library's address is yellow. Please notice a hole punched in the card. When your address is showing, the hole is in the lower left corner. When the library's address is showing, the hole is in the upper left corner.

Please do not write "refused" or "cancel" on book address cards; the library will assume you no longer want books and cancel your service.

Address cards are used by the library to check in books from you. Please do not switch these cards from one book to another. Be sure that the address card that arrives with each of the books is used to return that same book to the library. Failure to do so could result in a book not being checked in from you.

Some patrons like to share books with others. This practice delays the check-in of books from an individual and sometimes results in

patrons receiving books they have already read. If you want to share books with others, let them know the book numbers, so that they may order their own copy. The library has ample copies to circulate to all readers.

## **How Often Can I Receive Books?**

The library offers a variety of service preferences:

1. Turnaround Service - When you return books to the library, the library will send the same number of books back to you.
2. Calendar Service - The library will send you a specific number of books every week, two weeks, month, etc.
3. Requests Only - The library will send books only when you call or write to request them.

Service preferences can be changed or adjusted at any time by contacting the library.

## **Temporary Hold on Books**

If you go on vacation, become ill, or get too many books, please call to have us temporarily hold your books until you are ready to resume.

## **Picking Up Books at the Library**

Materials may be picked up at the library. If you phone in your order in advance, materials will be ready when you arrive.

## **Patron Number**

Your five-digit patron number appears above and to the right of your name on the address cards of books mailed to you. When writing or calling the library, please include your patron number.

## **Equipment**

The library loans equipment free of charge to its patrons. Patrons may borrow a cassette player and / or a radio receiver. Library staff can let you know what models are currently available and help you decide which pieces of equipment will best meet your needs.

Patrons must order at least one book a year or receive one direct mail magazine in order to continue to borrow Library of Congress equipment. This does not include receiving books, magazines, or other materials from sources other than those provided by the Library of Congress and its cooperating libraries. If this equipment is not being used with reading materials

provided by the Library of Congress, it must be returned.

Please retain the carton and packing material in which your equipment arrives. Packaging may be needed to return equipment for repair.

When you terminate your service, it is necessary to return all equipment and other materials on loan to you from the library. Equipment may be returned in person or through the mail, postage-free. The library will send empty boxes and packing material for this purpose upon request.

The library does not deliver or pick up equipment. The Postal Service performs this function.

## **Equipment Repair and Replacement**

Please do not attempt to repair library equipment. If your equipment is not performing properly, contact the library for a replacement machine. If the defective machine cannot be exchanged in person, a replacement machine can be mailed to you immediately when you contact the library by telephone. Please do not assume that when you return a defective piece of equipment, you will



receive a replacement.

**You must telephone the library to receive a replacement machine.**

The box in which the new machine arrives may then be used to return the defective machine. Equipment may be returned postage-free by turning over the address card on the carton.

**Equipment Care**

Readers are reminded to keep food and beverages away from cassette players and radios. Spills into the machines can cause the equipment to fail and make for messy and lengthy cleanup. Direct sunlight and excessive heat can also cause problems for equipment and cassettes.

Repeated and deliberate abuse of equipment may result in suspension of service.

**Equipment Purchase**

None of the models of equipment loaned by the library are for sale. However, there are national and local sources for the purchase of cassette players that are compatible with materials provided by the library. Sources for the purchase of cassette machines

are listed in Part 2 of this handbook under Cassette Players - Sources.

**Rechargeable Battery**

The C1 cassette player is designed to play either unplugged from its rechargeable battery or to play while plugged into an electrical outlet.

If the machine will be used in a portable fashion, it does need to be played unplugged until the battery is completely run down. This will keep the battery from forming a shorter memory for operating time unplugged. The machine should then be plugged into an outlet and be allowed to charge without playing at least 8 hours or overnight. It is OK to plug the machine in to finish listening, if the battery runs down in the middle of your reading.

If the machine is to be used in a fixed location, it does not need to be unplugged to discharge the battery. It will not damage the player to leave it plugged in continuously. However, if you decide to then use the machine on the battery, it will play for only a short time before losing power.

## **How to Play a Four-Track Cassette - Standard Cassette Player (C1)**

Library of Congress tapes play at half the normal tape speed, and contain four sides on each cassette rather than the normal two. To play a four-track cassette, follow these steps:

1. Push down the EJECT key--the key with no markings on the far right of the control keys. This opens the cassette door.
2. Insert the cassette into the cassette door with the braille side up (Side 1). The edge of the cassette with the tape exposed faces toward you. Be careful not to touch the exposed tape. Close the door.
3. Locate the SPEED switch. It is the rocker switch on the control panel closest to the back of the machine. Push the left side down to the 15/16 position.
4. Locate the SIDE switch. It is the rocker switch on the control panel closest to you. Push the left side down to the 1-2 position.
5. Press the PLAY key--green in color and marked with an O. Wait for about 30 seconds to hear the beginning of the book. Adjust tone

and volume settings--sliding controls on the control panel.

6. At the end of Side 1, press the STOP key--red in color and marked with an X.
7. Press the EJECT key and turn the cassette over. The braille side will now be down. Push the cassette door closed.
8. Press the PLAY key, and play side 2.
9. At the end of side 2, STOP the cassette, EJECT it, and turn it over again. The braille side should be up.
10. To play side 3, locate the SIDE switch. Push down to the right to the 3-4 position. Press PLAY.
11. At the end of side 3, STOP the cassette, EJECT, and turn it over. The braille side should be down.
12. To play side 4, press PLAY.
13. At the end of side 4, press STOP. EJECT the cassette. When you have completed all four sides, the tape is back at the beginning. There is no need to rewind.

14. When you go on to the next cassette marked side 5, be sure to change the SIDE switch back to the left to the 1-2 position.

**At the end of each side, the narrator will announce directions to remind you what is required to play the next side.**

### **Cassettes That Play Too Fast on the C1**

Sometimes a cassette will play too fast. If this occurs, check the speed selector switch to be sure it is in the 15/16 position. If the cassette still plays too fast, remove the cassette from the machine and make sure that none of the tape is spilling from the cassette, or that the tape hasn't been slightly pushed into the cassette. Insert a pen or your finger into one of the holes of the cassette, and turn so that the tape tightens up. Be sure when re-inserting the cassette into the machine that you do not touch the tape. Keep your fingers on the plastic shell portion of the cassette.

### **How to Play a Four-Track Cassette - Easy Machine (E1)**

The Easy Machine (E1) allows for the playing of a four-track cassette with a minimum of controls and

manipulation of the cassette.

1. Be sure the sliding ON-OFF / VOLUME control is pushed all the way to the left to OFF.

2. Place the cassette marked Side 1 on the loading platform braille side up. The edge of the cassette with the tape exposed faces away from you. Be careful not to touch the exposed tape.

3. Press the cassette down until the platform clicks into position.

4. Pull the door forward until it locks into position over the cassette.

5. Slide the ON-OFF / VOLUME control to the right to the ON position and adjust the volume.

6. At the end of Side 1, the machine automatically finds the beginning of Side 2. At the end of each succeeding side, the machine automatically finds the next side.

7. Allow up to one minute for the machine to locate and begin the next side.

8. At the end of side 4, slide the ON-OFF / VOLUME control all the way to the left to the OFF position.

9. Slide the door back to the rear of the machine.
10. Press and release the cassette and platform until the cassette pops up.
11. Remove the cassette and load the tape marked Side 5. Press the cassette down. Pull the door forward. Slide the ON-OFF / VOLUME control to the right to the ON position.
12. Use the ON-OFF / VOLUME control to start and stop the machine at any time during the course of the four sides.

**Do not remove a cassette from the E1 machine until you have listened to all four sides. If you do, and then restart the cassette, it will return to the beginning of the first side.**

**The announcements made by the narrator at the end of each side of the cassette should be ignored when using the easy machine (E1).**

### **Catalogs**

A catalog of adult books on cassette is produced each year. Catalogs of books in braille and books for younger readers are produced every two years.

A variety of subject catalogs, such as Mysteries, Classics, and Mormon Literature, are also provided. These catalogs are generally available in large print, braille, or recorded formats. To request additional catalogs, call or write the library. Catalogs are not comprehensive. For instance, Cassette Books 2004, contains only adult cassette books produced during 2004. It contains no titles produced prior to that year. If you can't find a title or author, or have a subject request, contact the library.

### **Talking Book Topics and Braille Book Review**

To keep you aware of the newest books produced, every two months the Library of Congress publishes two magazines: Talking Book Topics (TBT) and Braille Book Review (BBR). TBT lists new books on cassette, and is available in large type or on cassette. BBR lists new braille books, and is available in braille or in large type.

New patrons are automatically set up to receive TBT and/or BBR. These magazines may also be ordered by checking them off on the list of magazines or by calling the library. These publications are cumulated every year or two to

form the catalogs of books available from the library.

### **See Note**

The library produces a quarterly newsletter, the See Note, in large print, on cassette, and in braille. It contains information on new products, services, catalogs, or books, and generally contains a topical book list of interest. All patrons automatically receive this publication.

### **How to Order Books**

Catalogs contain checklists or order forms. All book orders should be mailed to the Utah State Library for the Blind and Disabled. Order forms are not required; a blank sheet of paper may be used. Please remember to include your patron number, name, and address on these orders. Do not place book orders or other correspondence inside book containers that are returned to the library. Such correspondence will not be detected.

You may also order books by phone. Please provide the book number, for example, RC 29623 or BR 9183, and your name and patron number. If you order the same book more than once, you will receive it each time it is

ordered. If there is a particular book you especially want, let us know, and we will make every effort to send it. If you don't find specific titles you want in the catalogs, we will be glad to search the library's comprehensive catalog for you.

### **How to Search for and Order Books Online**

The library's computer system allows patrons to search for books, order books, and gain access to their patron information. To do this, a patron must have access to the Internet. The web address is

<http://blindlibrary.utah.gov>

From this page patrons can access the Library's Catalog - KLAS. This stands for Keystone Library Automation System. The catalog contains all material that can be borrowed directly from the Utah State Library for the Blind and Disabled.

When you are in the KLAS catalog, you can search by author, title, subject, narrator, series, or annotation (description of the book). You can also limit your search by media, such as braille, cassette, large type, or descriptive video.

When you find what you would like, you may call the library to request materials, or continue on KLAS to order online.

At the point where you want to request materials, you will be required to log on. This requires a User ID (your patron number) and a password (6-8 alpha/numeric characters to be determined by you). To verify your patron number and to establish your password, please call the library.

### **Searching for School-age Books by Subject Online**

The library's web address is <http://blindlibrary.utah.gov>. From this page patrons can access the Library's Catalog – KLAS. Here patrons can search by author, title, subject, etc. and limit their search by media (braille, cassette, etc.).

Entering KLAS takes you to the Basic Search screen. To indicate the grade level, **enter one of the following in the Search For field:**

Grades P 2  
Grades K 3  
Grades 4 6  
Grades 7 9  
Young Adult

In the Search Index field, **click on Subject**. Then, **click on Browse Index**. This will bring up an alphabetical list of about 125 subject headings for books on the selected grade level. The list also provides the number of titles for each subject heading.

**Click on a desired subject heading** to bring up the list of books. You can limit the books by media (braille, cassette, etc.) by clicking on the Show Search Options button on the Basic Search screen. You can then order the books you want online or call the library with your selections.

If you know a key word of the subject you want, enter the grade level followed by the subject word in the Search For field. For example, entering Grades K 3 dinosaurs in the Search For field results in a list of 13 books on dinosaurs for grades K-3. Entering Grades 4 6 careers produces a list of 14 books about careers for grades 4-6. Entering Young Adult mystery brings up a list of 104 Young Adult mystery novels.



## Searching for LDS Books by Subject Online

The library's web address is <http://blindlibrary.utah.gov>  
From this page patrons can access the Library's Catalog – KLAS. Here patrons can search by author, title, subject, etc. and limit their search by media (braille, cassette, etc.).

Entering KLAS takes you to the Basic Search screen. **Enter the letters LDS** in the Search For field. In the Search Index field, **click on Subject**. Then, **click on Browse Index**. This will bring up an alphabetical list of about 300 subject headings for LDS books. The list also provides the number of titles for each subject heading.

**Click on a desired subject heading** to bring up the list of books. You can limit the books by media (braille, cassette, etc.) by clicking on the Show Search Options button on the Basic Search screen. You can then order the books you want online or call the library with your selections.

If you know a key word of the subject you want, enter the letters LDS followed by the subject word in the Search For field. For example, entering LDS faith in the Search For field results in a list of

16 books on the topic of faith. Entering LDS Hinckley produces a list of 6 books about President and Sister Hinckley. Entering LDS romance brings up a list of 190 LDS romance novels.

## Can the Library Select Books for Me?

Readers are generally happier if they order specific titles or authors. However, the library can select books for you based on the subject areas or types of fiction you enjoy. Your reading interests can be altered at any time by contacting the library.

## Can I Buy These Books?

Copyright agreements with authors do not allow the library to sell any of its books. Many bookstores are providing books on cassette for sale. The library can also provide a list of commercial sources of recorded books.

## Magazines

The library provides a variety of magazines in braille, on cassette, and in large type. For a large type or braille list of magazines available, please contact the library. Subscriptions may be added or cancelled by calling or writing the library. Allow four to six

weeks for changes to take effect.

### **What To Keep - What to Return?**

All recorded and braille books are on loan and must be returned to the library. Many magazines can be kept or disposed of by the reader. **If a magazine has a card that can be turned over to reveal the library's return address, it must be returned.**

### **Defective or Incomplete Books**

If you receive a book which you are unable to use because it is defective or incomplete, you may either call the library to request a replacement copy, or check the box marked DAMAGED on the yellow side of the address card with the library's address. If you receive a defective cassette book, please tie a string or place a rubber band around the individual defective cassette. Place this defective cassette on top in the container. Please do not put any strings or rubber bands, etc. on the outside of mailing containers. This practice causes problems for postal sorting equipment.

### **Multiple Part Cassette Books**

Some cassette books are so long that they require two or more containers. When the library sends you such a book, all the containers are sent together. When you send the book back to the library, please do the same.

### **Book Limit and Loan Period**

A patron may have a maximum of 20 books total in any format checked out to him or her at any one time. Please return books within four to six weeks so that other readers may enjoy them. The date the book was mailed from the library appears on the address card. Please send books back to the library as soon as possible after you have finished so that it will be available to the next reader.





## Loan Policy

Please see the following [Loan Policy - Program for the Blind and Disabled](#) for further information on procedures governing the circulation of materials.

### LOAN POLICY Program for the Blind and Disabled

The following policies govern the circulation of books and equipment to eligible blind, disabled, or reading disabled readers who are registered with the Utah State Library Division, Program for the Blind and Disabled. Eligible readers who borrow materials from the library accept responsibility for using materials with reasonable care, returning them to the Utah State Library according to established loan policies, and not losing or damaging them through negligence. Violation of this policy can result in suspension of some or all library services.

## POLICY

Braille books, large print books, books on cassette, a cassette player and a radio will be loaned by this library to eligible registered readers without charge; and this library will keep records of all such loans. Patrons are entitled to one cassette player and / or one radio receiver where service is available. The borrower should notify the library of changes of address, a desire to cancel service, or temporary or permanent transfer of service to another state.

Equipment necessary to read the recorded materials and a radio may be borrowed on extended loan for as long as the borrower is using it to read materials provided by the library. In the event a machine ceases to function properly or needs repair, it should be returned to the library, and a replacement will be provided. Under no circumstances should a borrower attempt to repair equipment or accessories.

A borrower in good standing may have a maximum of 20 books total in any format charged to him or her at any one time. Once a borrower reaches the maximum number of books, no additional books will be sent until books are

returned. In special circumstances, a borrower may request an increase in the maximum number. Books will be sent either on a weekly, biweekly, replacement or request only basis. The loan period for books is six weeks. No fines for overdue books will be levied; however, borrowers are urged to observe the loan period so books can be available for other readers.

The borrower will ensure books, magazines, and equipment being returned to the library by free matter are delivered into the hands of the United States Postal Service by being placed in a mailbox or delivered to the post office. Placing them on the doorstep of the borrower's home for the mail carrier to pick up does not constitute delivery into the hands of the postal service and, if problems arise by use of this method, the borrower is responsible for the lost or damaged books, etc.

Borrowers may not lend library books, magazines, or equipment to other persons.

In the case of repeated verbal abuse of library staff by a borrower, the library may suspend service to that borrower.

## SUSPENSION PROCEDURES

In the event any of these policies are violated repeatedly, the borrower's service may be suspended for a period of time after being given a written warning and an opportunity to reply. If after reinstatement of service, abuse continues, services may be suspended again.

In the event of suspension, the following steps will be taken:

1. The library will first discuss the problem noted with the patron by telephone or in person, then will send a warning letter summarizing the discussion and the problem and providing an opportunity for the patron to reply.
2. If service abuse recurs, a second written communication will be sent to the patron citing the earlier warning letter, listing examples of subsequent abuse, giving the patron an opportunity to reply by a certain date, and then suspending the service for a stated period (up to six months). A specific date for resumption of service will be included in this letter.
3. When the service is resumed, a letter will be sent to the borrower

notifying him/her of the resumption of service and reminding the patron that further recurrences will result in another suspension of service, as it relates to the documented abuse.

### **Attention Large Print Book Borrowers**

The library generally buys only one or two copies of books in large print. Please read and return these books as soon as possible so that other waiting readers may borrow them. The library may reduce the limit of books checked out to individual large print borrowers, if necessary.

The library has produced a series of catalogs of books in large print. These may be requested by calling the library. Catalogs currently available are:

1. Mystery and Detective Novels
2. Romance Novels
3. Westerns, Adventures, and War Stories
4. Biographies and Other Nonfiction
5. Historical Novels, Classics, Modern Novels, Science Fiction/Fantasy, and Short Stories
6. Books for Children and Young Adults.

### **Radio Reading Service**

The major portion of this service's programming is readings from the Utah newspapers. Reception is currently limited to the Wasatch front from Ogden to Nephi (served by the sideband of KBYU, 89.1 fm, Provo) and the Cedar City/St. George area (served by sideband of KREC, 98.1 fm, St. George). Upon request, the library will supply a broadcast schedule and the special radio receiver required to hear the broadcast.

### **Newsline**

This service is jointly sponsored by the Utah Division of Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired, the Utah State Library Division, and the Library of Congress. It is provided through the National Federation of the Blind. Newsline gives readers access to over 50 daily newspapers through a touch-tone phone. After individuals acquire a six-digit ID number and a four-digit security code, they can dial a toll-free phone number to gain access to a menu from which papers and articles can be selected. The voice is synthetic speech.

Currently the service offers over 100 daily newspapers, including

Deseret Morning News  
Salt Lake Tribune  
USA Today  
Christian Science Monitor  
Wall Street Journal

There are several ways to acquire access codes to begin using Newsline.

Patrons may write or call  
National Federation of the Blind  
1800 Johnson St.  
Baltimore, MD 21230  
Telephone: (410) 659 – 9314

Patrons may apply online at  
[nfb.org/newsline1.htm](http://nfb.org/newsline1.htm)  
Utah patrons can call LuWana  
Martin, Utah Division of Services  
for the Blind and Visually Impaired,  
at (801) 323 – 4390 or  
toll-free at (800) 284 – 1823.

Patrons may also call the library to begin this service.

Your name and address are provided to the National Federation of the Blind. NFB will send you a letter with access codes and a brochure with instructions for using Newsline.

Once access and security code numbers have been acquired, patrons dial the following toll-free number for access to the system:  
(888) 882 – 1629

## **Descriptive Videos**

These videos are just like the ones available at your local video store, but with an enhancement. When there is a break in the soundtrack of the movie, a narrator describes the characters, setting, action, etc. for the benefit of those who can't see the screen. The library charges a \$20.00 non-refundable membership fee/deposit for this service. Videos are loaned only to legally blind or visually impaired individuals in Utah and Wyoming. For more information, contact the library.

## **Special Map and Music Collections at the Library of Congress**

The Library of Congress maintains special collections of braille/ tactile maps, bold note and braille music, and music instructional materials. For further information, contact:

National Library Service for the  
Blind and Physically Handicapped  
Library of Congress  
1291 Taylor St. N.W.  
Washington, DC 20542  
Telephone: (800) 424 - 8567  
[nls@loc.gov](mailto:nls@loc.gov)  
[www.loc.gov/nls](http://www.loc.gov/nls)

## Web Braille

This internet service provides braille in digital files. The site is password-protected and requires the use of special equipment for access. The site contains the full text of over 4,400 Library of Congress (NLS) braille books produced since 1992 and magazines produced since May, 2001. Braille music scores and books have also been added.

Individual braille readers, schools for the blind, and other organizations that provide braille may be granted access to the site. To register for web braille, contact the library and be prepared to provide an e-mail address and a 6-8 character password.

Web braille books can be located in two ways:

1. Use the NLS online catalog at [www.loc.gov/nls/web-blind/advancedsearch.html](http://www.loc.gov/nls/web-blind/advancedsearch.html). Search by author, title, or subject, and in the "annotation, notes, contents" field, type the words web braille. The results will contain a link to each volume of a web braille title. When a volume is selected, the user will be prompted for a user ID and password.

2. Use the online version of Braille Book Review. Issues since 1997 are available at [www.loc.gov/nls/bbr](http://www.loc.gov/nls/bbr)

Web braille files are in grade 2 (contracted) braille ASCII format. Files can be read online or downloaded for viewing offline or embossing with a braille display, braille-aware notetaker, or braille embosser.

Want to know more? The library's website offers complete information about what's available, and instructions on how to use web braille. The website address is [www.blindlibrary.utah.gov](http://www.blindlibrary.utah.gov). Go to the Web Braille link.



## NLS Downloadable Audio Books

The availability of downloadable Library of Congress produced digital audio books has been opened to active patrons of the library who have acquired their own DTB player.

The Victor Reader Stream is the first such player and costs about \$329. This machine can be purchased from Human Ware  
<http://www.humanware.com/en-usa/home>  
 Toll-free: 800-722-3393

or locally through  
 Axis Access Technology  
 Local: (801) 967-5655  
 Toll free: (866) 824-7885  
 email: [karl@axistech.net](mailto:karl@axistech.net)

This machine will do you no good unless you have the following:

1. A computer connected to the internet for downloading books
2. High-speed internet service such as DSL or cable
3. An active email address

Human Ware maintains a helpful information page at [www.accessible-devices.com/vrsinfo.html](http://www.accessible-devices.com/vrsinfo.html)

If you are interested in downloadable books, you may access an online application page at  
<https://www.nlstalkingbooks.org/dtb>

## USL Downloadable Audio Books

The Utah State Library provides access through NetLibrary and its Pioneer service to a collection of downloadable audiobooks.

To access these,

go to <http://pioneer.utah.gov>

find the Net Library logo and click on First time Users

find the list of libraries and click on Utah State Library for the Blind and Disabled

enter the access code RRR2222

Now you're able to browse the collection and download audiobooks.

## Attention Wyoming Patrons

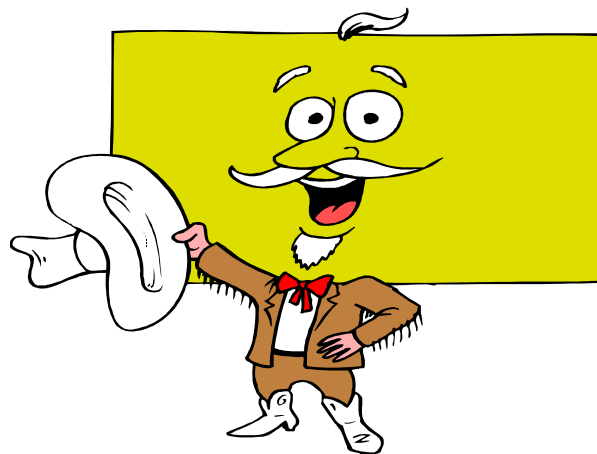
The Utah State Library provides books and magazines to Wyoming residents. Applications for service and equipment are handled by the Wyoming offices of Services for the Visually Impaired. To apply for service, or if your cassette player needs service, please contact one of these offices. Counties served precede the contact information.

(Laramie, Albany)  
Services for the Visually Impaired  
Hathaway Building, Room 144  
2300 Capitol Ave.

**Cheyenne**, WY 82002  
Telephone: (307) 777 - 7256  
Contact : Bev Lee  
blee@educ.state.wy.us

(Carbon, Sweetwater, Uinta)  
Services for the Visually Impaired  
Carbon Building, Room 325  
**Rawlins**, WY 82301  
Telephone: (307) 324 - 5333  
Contact : Joanne Whitson  
jwhits@educ.state.wy.us

(Fremont, Sublette, Lincoln, Teton, Yellowstone Park)  
Services for the Visually Impaired  
320 West Main  
**Riverton**, WY 82501  
Telephone: (307) 856 - 5652  
Contact : Leslie Van Orman  
lvanor@educ.state.wy.us



(Park, Big Horn, Hot Springs, Washakie)  
Services for the Visually Impaired  
P.O. Box 947  
**Powell**, WY 82435  
Telephone: (307) 754 - 2147  
Contact : Ericka Huckabee  
ehucka@educ.state.wy.us

(Sheridan, Johnson, Campbell, Crook, Weston)  
Services for the Visually Impaired  
Mill Inn-Sixth Floor  
2161 Coffeen Ave. #601  
**Sheridan**, WY 82801  
Telephone: (307) 672 - 6129  
Contact : Jerry Baker  
jbaker@educ.state.wy.us

(Natrona, Converse, Niobrara, Goshen, Platte)  
Services for the Visually Impaired  
539 South Payne  
**Casper**, WY 82609  
Telephone: (307) 234 - 9741  
Contact : Marvin Billings  
MBilli@educ.state.wy.us

## **Can I Make a Donation?**

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If you would like to make a donation, make a check out to

Utah State Library for the Blind  
Trust Fund

and mail it to the address on the cover of this handbook.

You will receive a receipt, and your contribution is tax deductible.

Thank you.

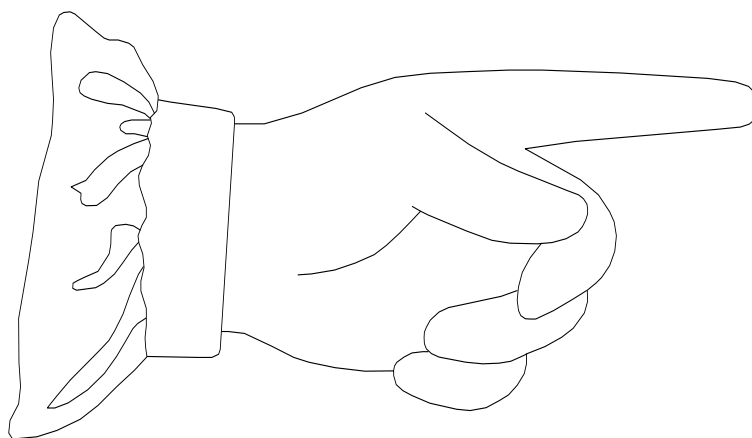


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## **For Further Assistance...**

**other associations, organizations,  
companies, or government agencies**



**By providing information to patrons of the library,  
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does not endorse any product, service, company,  
or organization mentioned herein.**

## **Aids and Appliances - Sources**

AdaptAbility / S + S Worldwide  
P.O. Box 513  
Colchester, CT 06415  
Phone: (800) 243 – 9232  
[www.snswwide.com](http://www.snswwide.com)

Ann Morris Enterprises  
P.O. Box 9022  
Hicksville, NY 11802 - 9022  
Phone: (800) 537 – 2118  
[www.annmorris.com](http://www.annmorris.com)

Carolyn's Low Vision Products  
1415 57<sup>th</sup> Ave. West  
Bradenton, FL 34207  
Phone: (800) 648 - 2266  
[www.carolynscatalog.com](http://www.carolynscatalog.com)

Independent Living Aids  
P.O. Box 9022  
Hicksville, NY 11802-9022  
Phone: (800) 537 – 2118  
[www.independentliving.com](http://www.independentliving.com)

L S & S Group  
P.O. Box 673  
Northbrook, IL 60065  
Phone: (800) 468 – 4789  
[www.lssproducts.com](http://www.lssproducts.com)

Maxiaids  
42 Executive Blvd.  
Farmingdale, NY 11735  
Phone: (800) 522 – 6294  
<http://www.maxiaids.com>

Materials Center  
National Federation of the Blind  
1800 Johnson St.  
Baltimore, MD 21230  
Phone: (410) 659 9314  
[www.nfb.org](http://www.nfb.org)

Sears Health and  
Wellness Catalog  
20 Presidential Dr.  
Roselle, IL 60172  
Phone: (800) 326 - 1750  
[www.searshealthandwellness.com](http://www.searshealthandwellness.com)

See-More Vision Aiding Products  
P.O. Box 3413  
Farmingdale, NY 11735  
Phone: (800) 428 - 6673  
[www.seemorevision.com](http://www.seemorevision.com)

## Area Agencies on Aging

A variety of services are available to Utah's seniors through these offices. Counties served precede the address and phone number. The website address is [www.hsdaas.utah.gov](http://www.hsdaas.utah.gov)

(Box Elder, Cache, Rich)  
Bear River AAA  
170 North Main  
**Logan**, UT 84321  
Phone: (435) 752 – 7242  
(877) 772 – 7242

(Summit, Wasatch, Utah)  
Mountainland AAA  
586 East 800 North  
**Orem**, UT 84097-4146  
Phone: (801) 229 - 3804

(Weber, Morgan)  
Weber County AAA  
Human Services Building  
237 26<sup>th</sup> St. Room 320  
**Ogden**, UT 84401 - 3105  
Phone: (801) 625 - 3770

(Carbon, Emery, Grand)  
Southeastern UT AAA  
P.O. Box 1106  
375 S. Carbon Ave.  
**Price**, UT 84501  
Phone: (435) 637 – 4268

(Wayne, Piute, Juab  
Sanpete, Millard, Sevier)  
Six County AAA  
250 N. Main, Room 5  
P.O. Box 820  
**Richfield**, UT 84701  
Phone: (435) 896 - 9222

(Tooele)  
Tooele County AAA  
59 East Vine St.  
**Tooele**, UT 84074  
Phone: (435) 882 - 2870

(Daggett, Duchesne)  
Uintah Basin AAA  
855 East 200 North (112-3)  
**Roosevelt**, UT 84066  
Phone: (435) 722 - 4518

(Uintah)  
Uintah County AAA  
155 South 100 West  
**Vernal**, UT 84078  
Phone: (435) 789 - 2169

(Salt Lake)  
Salt Lake County AAA  
2001 South State #S-1500  
**Salt Lake City**, UT 84190-2300  
Phone: (801) 468 - 2480

(Beaver, Garfield, Iron,  
Kane, Washington)  
Five County AAA  
906 North 1400 West  
P.O. Box 1550  
**St. George**, UT 84770  
Phone: (435) 673 - 3548  
(St. George)  
Phone: (435) 586 - 2975  
(Cedar City)

(Davis)  
Davis County AAA  
50 East State, P.O. Box 618  
**Farmington**, UT 84025  
Phone: (801) 451 - 3377

(San Juan)  
San Juan County AAA  
117 S. Main, P.O. Box 9  
**Monticello**, UT 84535 - 0009  
Phone: (435) 587 - 3225

### **Assistive Technology and Computers**

Utah Assistive Technology  
Foundation  
Utah State University  
6835 Old Main Hill  
Logan, UT 84322-6855  
Telephone: (435) 797 – 3824  
(800) 524 - 5152  
[www.uatf.org](http://www.uatf.org)

Utah Center for Assistive  
Technology  
Computer Center for Citizens with  
Disabilities  
1595 West 500 South  
Salt Lake City, UT 84104  
Telephone: (801) 887 - 9533 or  
(888) 866 – 5550  
[www.usor.state.ut.us/  
ucat/computers.html](http://www.usor.state.ut.us/ucat/computers.html)

Axis Access Technology  
4304 S. El Camino St. (1785 W)  
Taylorsville, UT 84119  
email: [karl@axistech.net](mailto:karl@axistech.net)  
web: <http://www.axistech.net>  
Fax: (801) 969 – 4357  
Please call for an appointment.  
Telephone: (801) 967 - 5655 or  
Toll free: (866) 824 – 7885

### **Braille Letters, etc**

To send personal communications  
like letters, birthday greetings,  
invitations, etc. in braille, use the  
You've Got Braille service provided  
free of charge by the Utah  
Foundation for the Blind. You can  
request this service by mail, email,  
or online. Contact:

Utah Foundation for the Blind  
and Visually Impaired  
2056 W. Carriage Ave.  
Riverton, UT 84065  
[info@ufbvi.org](mailto:info@ufbvi.org)  
[www.ufbvi.org](http://www.ufbvi.org)

## Braille Publishers

American Printing House  
for the Blind  
P.O. Box 6085  
1839 Frankfort Ave.  
Louisville, KY 40206-0085  
Telephone: (800) 223 - 1839  
[www.aph.org](http://www.aph.org)

Associated Services  
for the Blind  
919 Walnut St.  
Philadelphia, PA 19107  
Telephone: (215) 627 - 0600  
[www.asb.org](http://www.asb.org)

Braille International  
3290 S.E. Slater St.  
Stuart, FL 34997  
Telephone: (888) 336 – 3142  
[www.brailleintl.org](http://www.brailleintl.org)

Clovernook  
7000 Hamilton Ave.  
Cincinnati, OH 45231-5297  
Telephone: (513) 522 – 3860  
[www.clovernook.org](http://www.clovernook.org)

National Braille Press  
88 St. Stephen St.  
Boston, MA 02115  
Telephone: (617) 266 - 6160 or  
(800) 548 - 7323  
[www.nbp.org](http://www.nbp.org)

Seedlings, Braille Books  
for Children  
P.O. Box 51924  
Livonia, MI 48151-5924  
Telephone: (800) 777 - 8552  
[www.seedlings.org](http://www.seedlings.org)

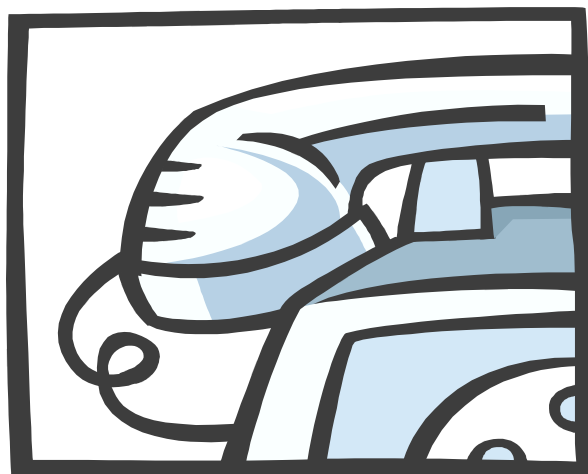
For more information, request the  
Reference Circular, Sources of  
Braille Reading Materials.

## Braille Producer - Local

Leslie Gertsch  
1301 West 500 South  
Woodscross, UT 84087  
Telephone: (801) 292 - 1156

## Brailier (Perkins) Repair

David Bills  
4304 S. El Camino St. (1785 W)  
SLC, UT 84119  
Telephone: (801) 969 – 9788



**Cassette Players  
(4-track, slow-speed)-  
Producers and/or Distributors**

American Printing House / Blind  
1839 Frankfort Ave.  
Louisville, KY 40206-0085  
Telephone: (800) 223 – 1839  
[www.aph.org](http://www.aph.org)

Ann Morris Enterprises  
551 Hosner Mountain Rd  
Stormville, NY 12582  
Telephone: (800) 454 – 3175  
[www.annmorris.com](http://www.annmorris.com)

Axis Access Technology  
4304 S. El Camino St. (1785 W)  
Taylorsville, UT 84119  
email: [karl@axistech.net](mailto:karl@axistech.net)  
web: <http://www.axistech.net>  
Fax: (801) 969 – 4357  
Please call for an appointment.  
Telephone: (801) 967 - 5655 or  
Toll free: (866) 824 – 7885

Independent Living Aids  
200 Robbins Lane  
Jericho, NY 11753 - 2341  
Telephone: (800) 537 - 2118  
[www.independentliving.com](http://www.independentliving.com)

Innovative Rehabilitation  
13467 Colfax Highway  
Grass Valley, CA 95945  
Telephone: (800) 322 – 4784  
<http://www.irti.net>

L S & S Group  
P.O. Box 673  
Northbrook, IL 60062  
Telephone: (800) 468 - 4789  
[www.lssgroup.com](http://www.lssgroup.com)

MaxiAids  
42 Executive Blvd.  
Farmingdale, NY 11735  
Telephone: (800) 522 - 6294  
[www.maxiaids.com](http://www.maxiaids.com)

Telex Communications  
9600 Aldrich Avenue South  
Minneapolis, MN 55420  
Telephone: (800) 828 - 6107  
[www.telex.com](http://www.telex.com)

**Deaf- Division of Services**

Utah Division of Services for the  
Deaf and Hard of Hearing  
5709 South 1500 West  
Salt Lake City, UT 84123 – 5217  
TTY telephones: (801) 263–4860  
(800) 860 – 4860  
Voice telephones: (801) 263-4861  
(877) 860 - 4861  
[www.usor.state.ut.us](http://www.usor.state.ut.us)

**Deaf – Utah Relay League**

Phone: (800) 346 - 4128

## **Descriptive Video Service (DVS)**

The descriptive videos on loan from the library are produced by DVS, a service of the WGBH Educational Foundation in Boston. DVS also describes several PBS television series on a regular basis. To receive DVS television broadcasts, a viewer needs a stereo TV or a VCR with the Second Audio Program (SAP) feature. For a program guide or further information, contact

Descriptive Video Service  
WGBH / 125 Western Ave.  
Boston, MA 02134  
Telephone: (800) 333 - 1203  
[www.wgbh.org/dvs](http://www.wgbh.org/dvs)

If you wish to buy your own copies of Descriptive Videos, they are available for purchase from Full Perspective Video Service  
P.O.Box 55742  
Indianapolis, IN 46205  
Telephone: (317) 579 - 0439

The library also circulates descriptive videos produced in Canada. To request a catalog of videos for purchase, contact:

AudioVision Canada  
1090 Don Mills Rd. Suite 303  
Toronto, ON M3C 3R6  
CANADA

Telephone: (866) 297 – 7623  
[www.audiovisioncanada.com](http://www.audiovisioncanada.com)  
email:  
[rtrimbee@audiovisioncanada.com](mailto:rtrimbee@audiovisioncanada.com)

## **Education - Preschool**

Parent Infant Program  
Utah Schools for the Deaf  
and the Blind  
742 Harrison Blvd.  
Ogden, UT 84404 - 5298  
Telephone: (801) 629 - 4743 or  
(800) 990 - 9328

## **Education - Primary and Secondary**

Utah Schools for the Deaf  
and the Blind  
742 Harrison Blvd.  
Ogden, UT 84404 - 5298  
Telephone: (801) 629 – 4700 or  
(800) 990 - 9328  
[www.usdb.org](http://www.usdb.org)

Utah School for the Blind  
Salt Lake Extension  
2870 Connor St.  
Salt Lake City, UT 84109  
Telephone: (801) 464 – 0840

## Education - Itinerant Teachers of the Visually Impaired

Alpine district: (801) 227 - 8748  
Davis district: (801) 402 - 5480  
Granite district: (801) 481 - 7108  
Jordan district: (801) 565 - 7186  
Murray district: (801) 264 - 7400  
EXT 5030  
Nebo district: (801) 369 - 5903  
Ogden district: (801) 737 - 7359  
Provo district: (801) 374 - 4915  
Salt Lake district:  
(801) 481 - 4837  
Tooele district: (801) 264 - 7438  
Weber district: (801) 629 - 4719  
Other districts should contact the  
School for the Blind in Ogden at  
the numbers listed above.

## Education - Services for College Students

Services are offered to students on the campuses of the universities, colleges, and community colleges throughout the State of Utah. Listed below are the phone numbers of the offices for students with disabilities.

Brigham Young University:  
(801) 422 - 2767  
College of Eastern Utah:  
(435) 613 - 5326  
Dixie College:  
(435) 652 – 7516  
Salt Lake Community College:  
(801) 957 - 4659

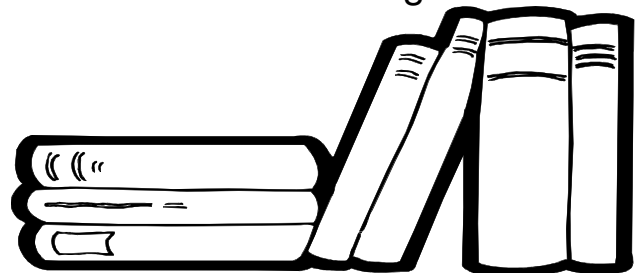
Snow College: (435) 283 - 7321  
Southern Utah University:  
(435) 865 - 8022  
University of Utah:  
(801) 581 - 5020  
Utah State University:  
(435) 797 - 2444  
Utah Valley State College:  
(801) 863 - 8747  
Weber State University:  
(801) 626 - 6413  
Westminster College:  
(801) 832 - 2280

## Education - National Correspondence School

Hadley School for the Blind  
700 Elm Street  
Winnetka, IL 60093  
Telephone: (800) 323 – 4238  
[www.hadley-school.org](http://www.hadley-school.org)

## Education - Braille Textbooks

National Braille Association  
3 Townline Circle  
Rochester, NY 14623-2513  
Telephone: (585) 427 - 8260 or  
(800) 244 -5797  
[www.nationalbraille.org](http://www.nationalbraille.org)





### **Education - Recorded Textbooks - Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic**

Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic is a national, non-profit organization that provides digitally recorded textbooks to students. The Utah State Library Division's collection contains the type of books found in a public library. Recording for the Blind's collection contains textbooks used by students. This organization registers individuals as well as institutions. There is a registration fee. For an application and more information, contact:

Recording for the Blind and  
Dyslexic  
20 Roszel Road  
Princeton, NJ 08540  
Telephone: (800) 221 - 4792  
FAX: 609-987-8116  
[www.rfbd.org](http://www.rfbd.org)

### **Guide Dog Information**

Patrons sometimes ask the library for information about guide dog schools. There are no schools in Utah. In fact, there are only about a dozen schools in the country. Most guide dog schools are looking for legally blind people who have places to go everyday, are physically and temperamentally fit,

and have had Orientation and Mobility training. The minimum age is usually 16-18. Generally, there are no charges to the client for the school's services, including the trained dog, a 28-day-long training class, and equipment. Schools vary in size and target clientele. Some work with people with orthopedic and hearing impairments. Each school is unique.

For more information, contact the Utah Division of Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired at (801) 323 - 4343 or (800) 284 - 1823. Wyoming patrons may contact their local consultant.



## Independent Living Centers

These centers assist persons with disabilities achieve greater independence by providing services and activities that enhance independent living skills. To be eligible a person must have a physical or mental disability that impairs activities of daily living. These are non-residential facilities.

Options for Independence  
862 S. Main, Suite 9  
**Brigham City**, UT 84302  
Telephone: (435) 723 – 2171  
pbartholomew@optionsind.org

Red Rock Center for  
Independence – Outreach Office  
**Fillmore**, UT  
Telephone: (435) 979 – 6416

Options for Independence  
1095 N. Main  
**Logan**, UT 84341  
Telephone: (435) 753 – 5353  
email: jbiggs@optionsind.org

Red Rock Center for  
Independence – Outreach Office  
P.O. Box 168  
**Minersville**, UT 84752  
Telephone: (435) 691 – 7724

Active Re-Entry  
P.O. Box 122  
125 W 200 S  
**Moab**, UT 84532  
Telephone: (435) 259 - 0245  
email: marcy@arecil.org

Tri-County Independent Living  
Center  
2726 Washington Blvd.  
**Ogden**, UT 84401  
Telephone: (801) 612 – 3215  
(866) 734 – 5678  
email: vickie@tri-county-ilc.com

Active Re-Entry  
10 S. Fairgrounds Road  
**Price**, UT 84501  
Telephone: (435) 637 – 4950  
email: active@arecil.org

Central Utah  
Center for Independent Living  
491 North Freedom Blvd.  
**Provo**, UT 84601-2824  
Telephone: (801) 373 – 5044  
(877) 421 – 4500  
email: kim@cucil.org

Utah Independent Living Center  
3445 S. Main  
**Salt Lake City**, UT 84115 - 4453  
Telephone: (801) 466 – 5565  
(800) 355 – 2195  
email: uilc@xmission.com  
www.xmission.com/~uilc

Red Rock Center for  
Independence  
515 West 300 North Suite A  
**St. George**, UT 84770 - 4555  
Telephone: (435) 673 – 7501 or  
(800) 649 – 2340  
email: rrci@rrci.org

Active Re-Entry  
510 E. Main, Suite 3  
**Vernal**, UT 84078  
Telephone: (435) 789 – 4021  
email: kcrow@arecil.org

### Internet Resources

APH (American Printing House for the Blind) catalog of books in braille, in large print, and on cassette. These materials are primarily for elementary and secondary school students.  
[www.aph.org](http://www.aph.org)

NLS (National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped) includes access to a comprehensive, national union catalog of books available through the Library of Congress network.  
<http://www.loc.gov/nls/>  
This site also leads to NLS's Web Braille service. For more information on Web Braille, see section one of this handbook.

RFB&D (Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic) catalog of digitally recorded textbooks primarily for college students, but also for elementary and secondary school students.  
[www.rfbd.org](http://www.rfbd.org)

Pioneer  
Utah's Online Library  
[www.pioneer.utah.gov](http://www.pioneer.utah.gov)

Utah Education Network for students and educators, K-12  
[www.uen.org](http://www.uen.org)

Utah State Library Division  
Program for the Blind and Disabled  
Access to KLAS, the library's catalog, and other information.  
<http://blindlibrary.utah.gov>  
For more information on using the library's catalog and ordering books online, see section one of this handbook.

Bookshare has over 35,000 titles in the DAISY digital talking book and digital Braille formats. Bookshare's talking books are digital files reproduced using synthetic speech software. They are not prerecorded audio book files. To find out more, visit  
<http://www.bookshare.org>

## **Large Print Textbook Publisher**

Library Reproduction Service  
14214 S. Figueroa St.  
Los Angeles, CA 90061 - 1034  
Telephone: (800) 255 - 5002  
FAX: (310) 354 - 2601  
email: Lrsprint@aol.com  
www.lrs-largeprint.com

## **Legal Assistance**

The Disability Law Center is a private non-profit organization designated by the Governor to protect the rights of people with disabilities in Utah.

Salt Lake City Office:  
Disability Law Center  
205 North 400 West  
Salt Lake City, UT 84103  
Telephone: (801) 363 - 1347 or  
(800) 662 - 9080  
TTY: (801) 924 - 3185  
TTY toll free: (800) 550 - 4182  
www.disabilitylawcenter.org

Cedar City Office:  
Disability Law Center  
2111 North Main St. #7  
Cedar City, UT 84720  
Telephone: (801) 865 - 4806

Weber County Office:  
Disability Law Center  
893 24<sup>th</sup> St., Suite 300  
Ogden, UT 84401  
Telephone: (801) 394 - 9431

Utah County Office:  
Disability Law Center  
548 E 300 S, Suite 106  
American Fork, UT 84003  
Telephone: (801) 492 - 7561

## **Library for the Blind Users Group**

Library Users of America, Inc. is a special interest affiliate of the American Council of the Blind.  
Local contact:  
Terrilynne Pomeroy  
555 N 400 W #47  
Centerville, UT 84014  
Telephone: (801) 299 - 8522

## **Moran Eye Center**

University of Utah Medical Center  
Telephone: (801) 581 - 2352  
www.moraneyecenter.org

## **National Association for the Visually Handicapped**

National Association for the  
Visually Handicapped  
22 West 21<sup>st</sup> Street  
New York, NY 10010  
Telephone: (212) 889 - 3141  
www.navh.org

## **National Foundation for the Blind**

American Foundation f/t Blind  
11 Penn Plaza, Suite 300  
New York, NY 10001  
Telephone: (212) 502 - 7600 or  
(800) 232 - 5463  
afbinfo@afb.org  
www.afb.org

## **Organizations of People Who are Blind or Visually Impaired**

National Federation of the Blind  
131 West 500 South #108  
Bountiful, UT 84010  
Telephone: (801) 292 - 4066 or  
(877) 388 - 1711  
www.nfbutah.org

Utah Council of the Blind  
Leslie Gertsch, Executive Director  
1301 West 500 South  
Woods Cross, UT 84087 - 2224  
Telephone: (801) 292 - 1156 or  
(800) 273 - 4569  
www.utahblind.org  
lgertsch@comcast.net

Ogden Association of the Blind  
C/O Utah School for the Blind  
742 Harrison Blvd.  
Ogden, UT 84404 - 5298  
Telephone contact:  
Maxine Penrod  
(801) 392 - 4076

Wyoming Council of the Blind  
P.O. Box 517  
Wright, WY 82732  
Telephone: (307) 532 - 5201  
www.wycb.info/index.html

## **Organizations of People with Disabilities**

American Diabetes  
Association - Utah Affiliate  
250 East 300 South #110  
SLC, UT 84111  
Telephone: (801) 363 - 3024 or  
(800) 888 - 1734

Muscular Dystrophy Assoc.  
4578 South Highland Dr. #300  
SLC, UT 84117  
Telephone: (801) 278 - 6200

Utah State Chapter  
National Multiple Sclerosis  
Society  
6364 S. Highland Dr., Suite 101  
SLC, UT 84121  
Telephone: (801) 424 - 0113 or  
(800) 344 - 4867  
www.fightmsutah.org

Brain Injury Association  
of Utah  
1800 S. West Temple  
Suite 203  
SLC, UT 84115  
Telephone: 801 - 484 - 2240 or  
(800) 281 - 8442  
http://biau.org

United Cerebral Palsy  
 Association of Utah  
 3550 South 700 West  
 South Salt Lake, UT 84119  
 Mailing address:  
 P.O. Box 70309  
 West Valley, UT 84170 - 0309  
 Telephone: (801) 266 - 1805 or  
 toll - free 888 - UCP - UTAH  
 888 - 827 - 8824

Learning Disabilities Association of  
 Utah  
 P.O. Box 900726  
 Sandy, UT 84090 - 0726  
 Telephone: (801) 553 - 9156  
[www.ldautah.org](http://www.ldautah.org)

### **Parenting Organization**

Utah Parent Center  
 2290 East 4500 South, Suite 110  
 SLC, UT 84117  
 Telephone: (801) 272 - 1051 or  
 (800) 468 - 1160  
[www.utahparentcenter.org](http://www.utahparentcenter.org)

### **Parking Permits**

For disabled parking permits, visit  
 or call the local office of the State  
 of Utah, Department of Motor  
 Vehicles. For more information,  
 contact:  
 (801) 297 - 7784 or  
 (800) 368 - 8824  
<http://dmv.utah.gov>

### **Reading Machines / Text Magnifiers**

Pulse Data HumanWare, Inc.  
 175 Mason Circle  
 Concord, CA 94520  
 Telephone: (800) 722 - 3393  
[www.humanware.com](http://www.humanware.com)

TeleSensory Corporation  
 520 Almanor Ave.  
 Sunnyvale, CA 94085  
 Telephone: (800) 804 - 8004  
[www.telesensory.com](http://www.telesensory.com)

Xerox  
 Telephone: (800) 275 - 9376  
[www.xerox.com](http://www.xerox.com)

### **Reading Room / Social Club**

Club Vision at the Andrew S.  
 Rowan Reading Room provides  
 the visually impaired with social  
 opportunities centered around  
 lunch, readings by professional  
 readers, live music, and  
 entertaining speakers. Club Vision  
 members from the Greater Salt  
 Lake area meet Monday,  
 Wednesday, and Friday from  
 11:30 am to 2:30 pm at the  
 Elks Club Building at  
 4894 S. State in Murray.



Club Vision members must have a severe or total vision impairment, and be able to care for personal hygiene needs. Those with special needs must be accompanied by a caregiver or companion to handle personal needs. All Club Vision activities are free of charge, thanks to generous donors.

For more information, contact Susan Woolstenhulme, Volunteer Coordinator, at 262 – 3769 or Christine Allred, Board of Advisors, at 424 – 0096.

### **Religious Organizations**

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints / Ensign Talking Magazine and other Church magazines

Telephone: (801) 240 - 2947 or (800) 537 - 5971, extension 22947

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints / Special Curriculum

Telephone: (801) 240 - 2477 or (800) 453 - 3860, extension 2477

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints / Distribution Center

Telephone: (801) 240 - 3800 or (800) 537 – 5971

email: [ldscatalog@ldschurch.org](mailto:ldscatalog@ldschurch.org)

[www.ldscatalog.com](http://www.ldscatalog.com)

Jewish Braille Institute

Telephone: (800) 433 - 1531

[www.jbilibrary.org](http://www.jbilibrary.org)

Jewish Guild for the Blind

Telephone: (800) 284 - 4422

[www.jgb.org](http://www.jgb.org)

Lutheran Library

Telephone: (800) 433 - 3954

[www.careministries.org/llb.html](http://www.careministries.org/llb.html)

Xavier Society

Telephone: (800) 637 - 9193

### **Social Services, Rehabilitation, Low Vision Lens Clinic**

Utah Division of Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired (DSBVI)

250 North 1950 West, Suite B  
Salt Lake City, UT 84116 - 7902

Telephone: (801) 323 - 4343 or (800) 284 - 1823

<http://www.usor.utah.gov/dsbvi.htm>

Provo Office:

150 E. Center St. #3300

Provo, UT 84606 - 3157

Telephone: (801) 374 - 7713 or (800) 662 - 6539

Ogden Office:

150 N. Washington Blvd.

Ogden, UT 84404 – 3952

Telephone: (801) 395 - 6324 or (800) 950 - 8824

St. George Office:  
515 West 300 North  
St. George, UT 84770 – 4578  
Telephone: (435) 986 – 0055 or  
(877) 315 - 0259

Wyoming patrons should contact  
their local office of Wyoming  
Services for the Visually Impaired  
(see page 21).

### **Sports and Recreation**

Utah Foundation for the Blind and  
Visually Impaired  
2056 W. Carriage Ave.  
Riverton, UT 84065  
Telephone: (801) 209 – 8492  
[www.ufbvi.org](http://www.ufbvi.org)

Blind and Visually Impaired  
Students of Utah Association  
contact Terri Lynne Pomeroy at  
(801) 299 - 8522 or  
(800) 273 – 4569

Common Ground  
Outdoor Adventures  
290 North 400 East  
Logan, UT 84321  
(435) 713 – 0288  
[www.cgadventures.org](http://www.cgadventures.org)

SPLORE  
880 East 3375 South  
SLC, UT 84106  
Telephone: (801) 484 – 4128  
[www.splore.org](http://www.splore.org)

National Ability Center  
P.O. Box 682799  
Park City, UT 84068 - 2799  
Telephone: (435) 649 - 3991  
[www.nac1985.org](http://www.nac1985.org)

Association of Blind Athletes  
33 North Institute  
Colorado Springs, CO 80903  
Telephone: (719) 630 - 0422  
[www.usaba.org](http://www.usaba.org)

Salt Lake County Parks and  
Recreation  
Copperview Community Center  
8446 South Harrison (295 West)  
Midvale, UT 84047  
Telephone: (801) 561 – 0075  
[www.parks-recreation.org](http://www.parks-recreation.org)

### **Talking Bookmarker**

Ever fall asleep while listening to a  
cassette book and lost your place?  
Tired of rewinding to figure out  
where you left off? The Talking  
Bookmarker can solve this  
problem. It is a switch that plugs  
into the jack marked REM near the  
headphone jack of the C1 cassette  
player. The switch is held down  
while listening to the tape. As the  
grip relaxes, the switch lets up and  
the cassette player stops, thus  
marking your place. The Talking  
Bookmarker costs \$12.99 plus  
\$3.00 shipping and handling. To  
learn more or to order, contact:



Jim Daily / Talking Bookmarker  
835 Emma St.  
Butte, MT 59701  
(406) 782 – 2202

### **Telephone Directory Assistance Exemption**

U.S. West offers exemption from directory assistance charges for those unable to read the Telephone Directory. Call (800) 223 - 3131.

### **Transportation**

The library is served by bus routes 18 and 26.

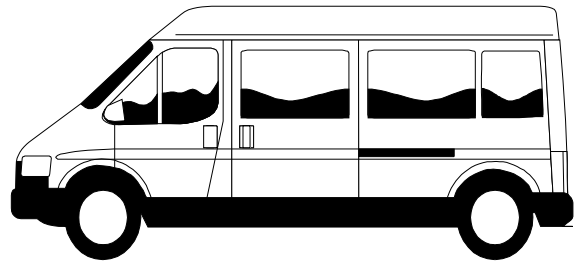
Flextrans / U.T.A.  
Telephone: (801) 287 – 7433

Park City Mobility Bus  
Telephone: (435) 615 – 5353

Utah Council of the Blind  
Cab coupon program  
Contact:  
Elaine or Dennis Hall  
1120 N. Topaz Dr.  
SLC, UT 84116  
Telephone: (801) 328 – 9228

### **Veterans**

Veterans Affairs regional office  
Telephone: (800) 827 - 1000  
V.A. Medical Center -  
Visual Impairment Services Team  
Sharon Jones (Mail Code 110A)  
Salt Lake City, UT 84120  
Telephone: (801) 582 - 1565  
ext. 1555



**Utah State Library  
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250 North 1950 West, Suite A  
Salt Lake City, UT 84116 - 7901**

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or Disabled**

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